1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 9 FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA MEL TYRONE EDWARD, 10 11 Plaintiff, No. CIV S-03-2584 ALA P 12 VS. 13 S. SCARSELLA, et al., 14 Defendants. ORDER 15 16 Plaintiff Mel Edward, a state prisoner proceeding pro se, seeks relief pursuant to 42 17 U.S.C. § 1983. On November 28, 2007, Plaintiff filed a request for a continuance of the 18 settlement conference currently set for December 14, 2007, because Plaintiff has recently been 19 transferred to a new prison and all of Plaintiff's property had not been forward to Plaintiff's new prison. 20 21 Defendant Scarsella filed an opposition to Plaintiff's request on November 30, 2007. On 22 December 3, 2007, Defendant Saunders joined in Defendant Scarsella's opposition. Defendants 23 argue that Plaintiff has not shown good cause justifying a continuance. The court concurs. 24 Therefore, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Plaintiff's November 28, 2007, request for a 25 continuance is DENIED. ///// 26

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| 4  | /s/ Arthur L. Alarcón UNITED STATES CIRCUIT JUDGE |
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